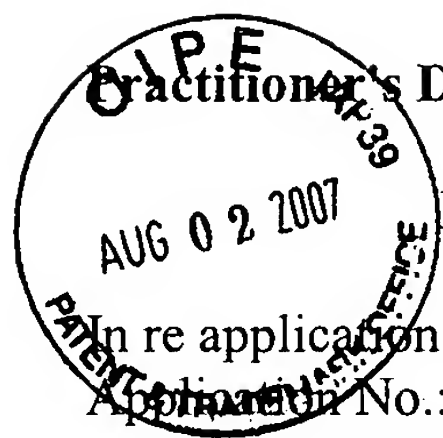


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Practitioner's Docket No. FORE-104

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In re application of: Chris Bender, Ramprasad Santhanakrishnan  
Application No.: 10/649,492 Group No.: 2616  
Filed: 08/27/2003 Examiner: Christopher P. Grey  
For: DYNAMIC OAM FOR SIGNED CONNECTIONS (DOSC)

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1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

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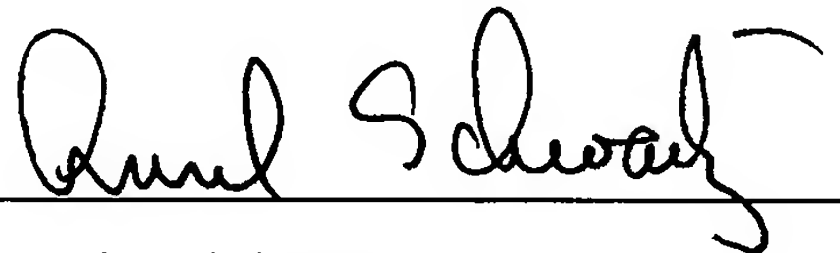
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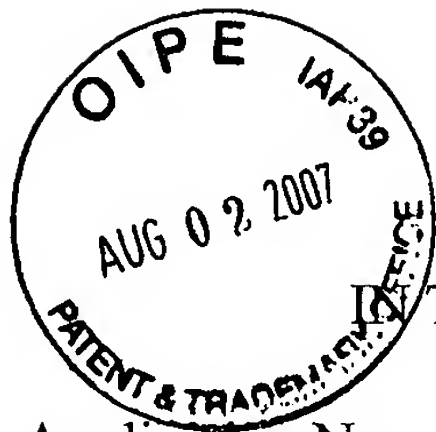
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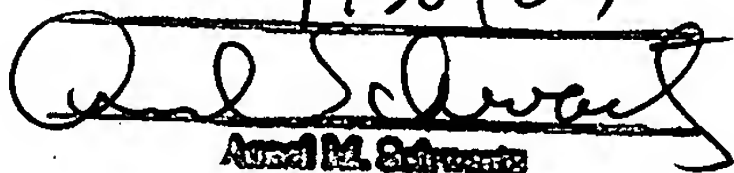
In response to the Office Action of March 30, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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